DR. B. CLARK HYDE FOUND GUILTY

Punishment Prison for Life for the Murder of Col. Thomas H. Swope.

CONVICTED BY HIS OWN TESTIMONY

Declares W. C. Crone the Juror Who Decided the Physician's Fate After Three Days of Balloting-No Dramatic Feature Attended Return of the Verdict-Motion for New Trial to be Made.

The return of the verdict today was

Motion for New Trial.

NEW COVENANT OF ADMISSION

Adopted at Meeting Held Last Night

in Marquand Chapel.

YALE DIVINITY SCHOOL,

SOMETHING HEAVY FELL

Twenty Pound Cooling Fan Blade

Crashed Through Trolley Car Roof.

New York, May 16 .- Just as the mat-

nee crowds were thickest in Columbus

circle, at FMty-ninth street and Broad-

Then it was learned that while a

DROWNED IN SALEM HARBOR

Throwing Anchor Over.

Case of Heinze Will Probably Come

Before U. S. Supreme Court.

Dory Containing Five Men Upset

FROM THE UPPER AIR.

Kansas City, May 16.—Dr. Clark I tenced to eighteen years in the penidering Thomas H. Swope by administering poison. Punishment was fixed at life imprisonment. The return of the verdict today was marked by an absence of dramatic features. Mrs. Hyde cried when she heard the verdict in the court room. Dr. Hyde did not change his usual appearance, Mrs. Logan O. Swope was unnerved when at her home in Independence she heard the outcome, but she soon regained her composure. It was what she had been fighting fow and she was satisfied, she said. "My home is still open to my daughter," she added. "I feel very sorry for her." But Mrs. Hyde is not going back

imprisonment.

Hyde looked firmly at Judge aw while the verdict was being

"I haven't lost hope," he declared. Owes His Conviction to His Own Testimony.

Kansas City, Mo., May 16.—Dr. B. Clark Hyde, whom a jury today found guilty of murdering Col. Thomas H. Swope by poison and sentenced to life

Swope by poison and sentenced to life imprisonment, owes his conviction to his ewn testimony on the witness-stand according to a statement made tonight by W. C. Crone, the juror who decided the physician's fate after nearly three days of balloting.

Until Saturda, night, Crone and R. Johnson, a farmer, held out for acquittal against the rest of the jury. Remembering Dr. Hyde's demeanor on the stand, Mr. Crone finally decided the physician's fate by voting for conviction and persuading Johnson to do the same.

"Dr. Hyde was his own worst ene-my in the trial," said Mr. Crone to-night. "His own testimony convicted

When Dr. Hyde said he had bought cranide for ten years and yet could not remember where he bought it, he damned himself as a witness. If he had not testified as he did. I think he would not be in the position he is.

Motion for New Trial.

His attorneys will make a motion for a new trial some day this week. The physician will be sentenced on Saturday probably. By law, he is not admissable to beil. It is discretionary with Judge Ralph S. Latshaw whether Dr. Hyde be sent to prison or held at the county jail, pending consideration of his case by the supreme court.

"Until after Dr. Hyde's attorneys have applied for a new trial I shall not decide what will be done with the prisoner, pending decision on his appeal," said the judge tonight. First Believed Hyde Innocent. first I believed Hyde innocent and until Sunday night I voted to acand until Sunday night I voted to acquit him. Then I recalled his testimony about his cyanide purchases and I decided he was guilty. I told Mr. Johnson I had changed my vote and I talked about my decision. I think my reasoning had an effect on him."

Crone's son Albert was recently sen-

HOW TO END THE MILK WAR A CONTRACTOR'S TESTIMONY At Monday's Legislative Inquiry Into the Situation.

Roston. May 16.—If the public will pay a cent a quart more for milk the contractors controlling the greater part of the milk business in Boston willing to pay the farmers the winter price for milk during the summer and thus bring to a close the fight between contractors and producers which has sint off a large part of Poston's nearby supply. Testifying at today's legislative inquiry into the situation, Charles H. Hood, representing the H. P. Hood & Sons, milk constant of pulpit teaching, while the church was still retained as a standard of pulpit teaching, while the ing the H. P. Hood & Sons, milk contractors, said: "We agree

"We agree that there is a distinct hardship in the situation of the producers. On a previous occasion, however, when rather than face the situation which now confirms us we mation which now confronts us, we granted an advance demanded by the producers and raised prices to our customers accordingly, the company lost over 1,000 customers in thirty days. There has been great public interest in these hearings and it is not impossible that an advance of the retail price of milk in Boston to nine cents a quart now or in the near future would be regarded simply as a just and necessary sten." and necessary step.

W. A. Graustein, another contractor, admitted that the producers of milk have grievances. The trouble, he thought, lay largely with the standard required by Massachusetts, which has raised the cost of production.

FRIGHT PANIC AT A CIRCUS. Babies and Children Trampled in Mad Rush of Crowd.

of a circus that is appearing in Newark etrock up a tune just before the mati-nes performances today a fractions ferrse which a policeman was riding teck fright and bolted. The horse teok tright and bolted. The horse harged straight at a crowd composed mostly of women and children who were waiting to be admitted to the

e one shouted "a lion is loose!" some one shouted 'a non is loose!"
and the crowd became panic stricken. The policeman had his horse under control after it had run a few yards, but the crowd refused to be quieted. It scattered in a mad rush which toppied over baby carriages and left a trail of pables and children trampled to the ground. Seven of these were injured. One little girl's jaw was broken. None of them was dangerouste hurt.

Maryland Physician Shot and Wounded by His Demented Brother.

Battemore, May 16.—Dr. H. Burton Stevenson, a physician, of Sherwood, Battimore county, was shot in the face today by his brother, Allen Stevenson, who is eaid to be mentally deranged. The wound is not believed to be seri-

Dr. Stevenson is the author of a number of medical books and a few years ago startled the medical world by advocating that immates in asylums be used for medical experiments.

Allen Stevenson is a retired engineer in the United States navy.

Chicago Women Collecte \$55,000 for Charity in One Day. Chicago, May 16.—Women of the Chicago Hospital Day association to the number of 2,500 today collected \$25,000 for charity in the downtown streets during the first tagless "ing day" ever held in Chicago. Owing to friction with another similar organization which made claim to priority in holding tag days, the members of the hospital day association decided not a second to the contributors. to issue tags or buttons to contributors

Steamskip Arrivals,

At Cherhourg: May 16, President rant, from New York. At Liverpool: May 16, Arable, from New York.
Nay 15, Caledonia, New York.
Naples: May 12, Florida, from York; May 16, Citta di Messina, New York.
Genon: May 18, Duca di Genova,

Washington, May 16.—The case of F. Augustus Heinze, who last week in New York was acquited of the charge of misapplication of funds of the Mercantile National bank, probably will come before the supreme court at its fall term, During the case Judge Hough oversuled several counts in the indictment on which Heinze is tried. District Attorney Henry A: Wise of New York, is anxious that the higher court should pass on the decision of Judge Hough and so informed Attorney Genemi Wickersham in a report on the case made to him today. The attorney general will consent to such a course. herhourg: May 16, Kaiser II, from New York May 16, Finland, from

Cabled Paragraphs

Amoy China, May 16.—The bubonic plague is officially declared to be epi-demic in this city.

Lima, Peru May 16.—A govern-ment transport, carrying a regiment of artillery, a hospital corps and a big cargo of ammunition and other muni-tions of war, sailed today for Tum-boz, a port on the northwest coast of Peru not far from the northern bound-ary.

Grodno, Russia, May 15.—A band of brigands that has long terrified this neighborhood was cleaned up today in a battle with rural guards. Four of the outlaws were killed and the four others captured. Captain Kukplovsky and one of the guards were killed and an officer and six guards were severely wounded.

WAS NOT REFUSED

AN INTERVIEW WITH THE POPE Cardinal Gibbons Gets Cablegram from Bishop Paret-Report Denied.

Baltimore, Md., May 18.—Cardinal Gibbons received the following cable-gram today from Bishop Paret, of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Maryland, dated at Florence, Italy: "Cardinal Gibbons, Baltimore:
"Mistake very false, No refusal, No discourtesy. "WILLIAM PARET."
This cablegram, which was said at the cardinal's residence to have been spontaneous and unsolicited, refers to a report circulated in this country recently to the effect that Bishop Paret, armed with a letter of introduction from Cardinal Gibbons, requested an interview with the pope, but was refused.

SENTENCE IN CARUSO CASE. Black Hander Who Demanded \$15,000 from Tenor Goes to Sing Sing.

Antonio Mosieni, convicted of at-tempting to extort \$15,000 from Enrico Caruso, the singer, was sentenced to Sing Sing today for not less than three years and eight months, and not more than seven years and five months. The sentence was imposed by Judge Faw-cett of the county court in Brooklyn.

MORSE APPLICATION DENIED.

for her."

But Mrs. Hyde is not going back to her mother. She is still loyal to her husband and confidently believes the supreme court will free him. She is going to take up his fight immediately and battle on until he is freed or her funds are exhausted, she says. "Clark is innocent and he shall be freed!" she declared.

Dr. Hyde takes his imprisonment caimly. He was asleep today soon after sentence was pronounced on him. He professed to believe that the case would be remanded for a new trial when it reached the supreme court. Refusal of Supreme Court to Allow Application for New Writ.

Washington, May 16.—Charles W. Morse today was denied the privilege of filing an application for a new writ of habeas corpus by the supreme court of the United States.

CARIBBEAN SHORES SHAKEN. Earthquakes in British Guiana, Trini dad, and Grenada.

St. Thomas, D. W. I., May 16.—A sharp earthquake was feit at Georgetown, the capital of British Guiana, on Saturday evening. There were also two slight shocks on the island of Trinidad and a mild disturbance on the island of Grenada.

U. S. SIDE OF FISHERIES CASE. Delivered to British Foreign Office for Submission to The Hague.

London, May 16.—Otis Cartwright cretary to the American Atlantic secretary to the American Atlantic fisheries commission, today delivered to the foreign office the American case for submission to the erbitration tribunal which is to meet at The Hague on June 1. Six Years in Penitentiary.

Portland, Ore., May 16.—W. Coppers Merris, formerly cashier of the defunct Oregon Trust and Savings bank, convicted last week of the embessions of \$75,000 from the bank, was sentenced today to six years in the penitentiary.

NORWICH GOLF CLUB BUYS 80 ACRES OF LAND.

New Grounds and Clubhouse Will Be Located Below Thamesville on the DeWolf Property.

the church was still retained as a standard of pulpit teaching, while the new covenant affected admission to the church only. Remarks were made by Acting Dean Curtis of the Yale Divinity school and Prof. F. C. Porter of the same institution emphasizing the fact that the new covenant was the accord with the spirit of Christ and was of a nature to draw into the church those who are practical Christions but not of one mind on minor points of belief. Professor Porter also accented the fact that the Center church was only following in the steps of other Congregational churches and Dean Curtis called attention to the freedom of admission of members by the Presbyterian church, in which he had been brought up. The meeting included the members of the Davenport Congregational church of this city, which was recently united with the Center church. Papers were passed on Monday transferring to the Norwich Golf club land below Thamesville, at the town line, belonging to Mrs. James DeWolf, Governor H. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Lewellyn H. Potter. There are about 30 acres in this land, and it will be used as a golf course. A new clubhouse is to be erected on the bluff overlooking Trading Cove and getting a wide sweep of the country to the west. There are 30 acres of the DeWolf There are 30 acres of the DeWolf land, which lies off to the west of the Montville trolley line from the DeWolf switch. It is on the east side of the Norwich and New London turnpike, which is the road past the Fair Grounds, and extends to within about 100 feet of the trolley line. The Proposition was, today, something from the upper air fell upon the roof of a troffey car and, with a crash of shattered glass and shivered woodwork, kept right on until it reached the solid earth. There was a great commotion instantly. No one was injured, but the crowd grew so dense that the police had much difficulty in holding it in check. Not until it had been dispersed was an explanation available.

Then it was learned that while a 200 feet of the trolley line. The Brown land, which comprises about 25 acres, is on the west side of the turnpike and extends to the brook, while on the west side of the brook there are 25 acres secured from the Potter farm. A nine hole course can be laid out there in an ideal manner, giving some fine hazards and offering an attractive cou-lt is possible the club may take form of a country club, in which the sporting departments will be added. The course will not be ready until Then it was learned that while a the sporting departments will be addnessed a cooling fan one of the blades flew off and out a fifth story window while the fan was making 1,000 revolutions a minute. The blade was seventeen inches long and weighed twenty pounds. It cut through the roof of the car like a rasor, and that nobody was hurt seemed little short of a miracle.

The pour departments will be added. The course will not be ready until next summer, the present one being available for this year. An effort will be made to have the trolley company allow the use of transfers to the clubhouse, instead of requiring an additional fare from the city line to the clubhouse.

WEDDING.

WEDDING. Lessord-Bedard.

Monday morning at eight o'clock, Felix Lessord of Putnam and Miss Aurora Bedard of this city were united in marriage by Rev. Joseph McCarthy at St. Patrick's church. The bridesmaid was Miss Sylviz Viens of Jewett City and the best man Edward Duffy of Putnam. The bride wore a handsome gown of plum-colored silk with lace trimmings and a black picture hat. She carried bride roses. The bridesmaid wore white silk and a black picture hat and carried pink roses. A wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's father. Joseph Bedard, at the International hotel, and in the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Lessord left for a wedding trip to Hartford, Stafford Springs and Springfield, after which they will reside at Putnam.

They received many handsome gifts, including a check for a good sized sum from the bride's father. The groom is a bookkkeeper in Putnam. Monday morning at eight o'clock, Saiem, Mass., May 16.—Two men were drowned and the lives of three others imperiled when a dory containing the party was overturned off Winter Island, in the deepest part of Salem harbor, late today.

The five men, night employes of the Salem Gas company, were out fishing, when one of the men threw the anchor overboard without warning, lurching the boat broadside to a choppy sea, resulting in an upset. Charles Tardiff and Joseph Thibeault sank at once, but Francois Caron, Joseph St. Amant and Peter Theriault clung to the boat until rescued by the crew of a nearby barge. Both the men lost were young and marvied. Their bodies were not recovered.

In the city court on Monday morning A. Saboliski and B. Zalinsky were ing A. Saboliski and B. Zalinsky were charged with stealing ties from the Consolidated road. An inspector for the road said that the company until this year had allowed people to take the ties, but it was found they took new as well as old. The men were allowed to settle their cases by paying costs and they paid the inspector five cents each for the ries.

Judge Greene has bended down a decision in the case of Cox vs. the Misturet club of Stonington in which he overruled the demurrer.

Roosevelt Meets King George

GREAT INTEREST IN ARRIVAL OF FORMER PRESIDENT.

VISITS BUCKINGHAM PALACE

In Company With Mrs. Roosevelt-Representatives of All the Powers Leave Cards for the Colonel.

London, May 16.—The feature of the day in London was the arrival of Theodore Roosevelt, who came direct from Berlin, and will act as special amsbassador to represent the United States at the funeral of King Edward VII., which will take place next Friday.

Colonel Roosevelt was received by King George at Marlboro house, and, later, with Mrs. Roosevelt, visited Buckingham palace.

Growds Watch Comings and George

Crowds Watch Comings and Goings

of Royalties. Apart from the strong interest displayed in the arrival of the former president the day was uneventful. An enormous crowd, mainly composed of provincialists, spent the day patiently waiting outside Buckingham palace and Marlboro house, the comings and goings of royalties and princely visitors. The cold winds of the past few weeks have given place to summer like weather, which will be a great book to hundreds of thousands of spectators at Tuesday's and Friday's solemn functions.

Removal of the Bedy Teday.

Another service was held in the throne room of the palace tonight, the last before the removal of the body tomorrow, and all the palace servants were permitted to attend.

The diplomatic representatives of all the powers called at Dorchester house during the day and left cards for Colonel Roosevelf.

Big Ben Will Toll Every Fifteen Sec-

onds.

London, May 16.—For the first time in its history, the great bell of the clock tower on the houses of parliament, popularly known as Big Ben, will be toiled every fifteen seconds while the coffin is passing tomorrow from the palace to Westminster hall and again on Friday while the cortege is leaving Westminster. Its booming will be the signal for the great guns to fire a salute to the passing of the monarch. Ferdinand of Bulgaria has decided to attend the funeral and will be the ninth king coming to London for that purpose.

RECEIVERS APPOINTED FOR HOCKING VALLEY RAILWAY CO.

Attorneys Apply for Order to Head Off Receivership.

Columbus, O., May 16.—Attorneys for the Hocking Valley Railway Co., for which a receiver was appointed to-day, will apply to Federal Judge John E. Sater tomerrow for, an order to head off the receivership ordered by Judge E. B. Kinkead of the common pleas court. This was officially annument to the common pleas court.

pleas court, This nounced tonight.

Judge Kinkend appointed John M.
Sheets, formerly attorney general of Ohio, and Henry J. Booth, a Columbus

A receivers for the Hocking Valley under a bond of \$500,000. few minutes later he overruled a mo-tion to have the case transferred to the federal court.

The court enjoined the Chesapeako A Ohio Railway Co, from voting stock in the Hocking Valley, recently acquired and heid illegal the last election of the Hocking Valley, at which the Chesapeake & Ohio interests asserted their control by the election of Chesapeake & Ohio men as officers and directors of the Hocking Valley.

SETTLED A LAWSUIT

BY FLIP OF A COIN. John E. Madden Cried "Heads" and the Copper Fell "Tails."

New York, May 16.—According to a story published here, John W. Gates and John E. Madden, old friends and both good sportsmen, settled a lawsuit by a flip of the coin today. Gates won \$2,500 on the first throw. Another toss and he won \$200, representing the costs of the action.

The litigation arose over \$11,000 worth of oil stock bought for Madden by Gates, which the former refused to accept. After Madden had testified before a referee, Gates suggested that fley decide by the coin who should pay for the reference. Madden accepted "heads." The copper

RON BAR WEDGED TIGHT IN A CROSSOVER FROG.

Its Timely Discovery Averted Serious Railroad Wreck.

Waterbury, Conn., May 16.—An iron bar wedged tight in the frog of the crossover in front of the Highland tower at Waterville was discovered by Martin J. Post, employed at the tower, shortly after 9 o'clock tonight, and the possibilities of a serious wreck were narrowly averted. The obstruction was discovered and removed by the vigilance of the towerman before the arrival of a train from either direction. William Keljey was found in the vicinity shortly afterward, acting in a suspicious manner, and was taken into custody, charged with trespass upon railroad property, pending an investigation.

Thirteenth Floor.

Chicago, May 16.—John A. Ryerson, a prominent Chicago business man, jumped from the thirteenth floor of the Chamber of Commerce building tonight and was instantly killed, his body being mashed into an unrecognizable pulp. The only motive advanced by the relatives of the suicide is that of supposed financial difficulties.

Unidentified Man a Suicide at Wood

New Haven, May 16.—A man who has not as yet been identified committed suicide today by drowning in Glen Pond, Woodbridge, The man, who was Pond. Woodbridge. The man, who was mediumly well dressed was seen to leap into the water, but by the time he was taken out life was extinct. The body was brought here and is being held pending identification.

Washington, May 16.—Because his wife, it is said, refused to give him money, and jealous attentions which he believed were being paid to her by others. Frank Fenton aged 40, a race track follower, today shot his wife, Virginia. ginia Fenton, aged 20, and then turned the pistol on himself and blew out his brains. The woman lived about two

Condensed Telegrams

The Russian Authorities will only permit 170 families out of 1,150 to remain in Kiev.

Democratic Leaders in Indiana and he west are fearful of the effect of Sryan's speech attacking the liquor in-

Harry F. Waugh, an explorer, driven to despair by failure to interest finan-ciers in his claim, committed suicide

The Regular Republicans and the progressives find they can probably to together on the administration

The Officers of the United States crulser New York were guests of Admiral de Jouguieres at a bail on the battleship Patrie at Toulon.

King Victor Emmanuel and the Duke of Abruzzi attended the lecture given by Commander Peary before the Ital-lan Geographical society in Rome.

Light Rains which appear to have been general in northern Minnesota Sunday night have aided in checking forest fires that threatened several

The Recent Wholesale Arrests of negroes in Cuba have driven into the conservative party thousands of those negroes who helped to elect President

A New Organization, named the National League for Medical Preedom, has been formed to fight the American were Medical association, which it calls "a doctors" trust."

Frost Nipped the Tender Tobacco plants at Barkhamsted Monday morning. Before sunrise men on some of the farms sprinkled water on the plants and saved them.

President Taft Yesterday Signed the bill creating a bureau of mines in Washington, but has as yet taken no action looking to the appointment of chief of the new branch of the govern-

Seventeen Thousand Iowa Mine work ers resumed work in the mines Monday after a suspension of over six weeks The operators have advanced the price of all coal mined in the Thirteenth Iowa district two cents a ton as a result of concessions to miners.

PORT AU PRINCE NEGROES DEFY HALLEY'S COMET Take Comet Pills to Ward Off Dire

Results.

New York. May 16.—Whatever Halley's comet may do or may ot do to this earth, the negroes of Port au Prince (Hayti) are prepared, because they are well packed with comet pills. Comet pills are new to the pharmacopoela. Word of their appearance arrived today by the Hamburg-American liner Allegheny, in from Port au Prince. Her officers said today that all the negro stevedores there, all the farmers roundabout the servants, laborers, merchants, beggar men and thieves are rushing pell mell to the hut of a shrewd old voodco docter just outside the city, who is selling comet pills as fast as he can make them.

The prescription is one pill for every hour up to the time the comet begins to recede from the earth, but many of the patients make dourbly sure by taking one pill every half-hour. The comet doctor guards his formula closely and is growing rich formula closely and is growing rich

19 YEAR OLD WHITE SLAVE. BRUISED AND UNDERCLAD, Taken by Police from a House in Bay

onne-Joseph Figel Arrested.

New York, May 16 .- Bruised and wn Acw fork, May 16.—Britised and the derelad, a girl who gives her name as Elizabeth Relly, 15 years old, was taken by the police today from a house in Bayonne, N. J. She says she has been kept a prisoner shere by Joseph Figel, an Italian, for three months.

The girl has been in this country only six months. She says she met only six months. She says she met Figel in a moving picture show and be induced her to enter his house try promises of employment. She was found today nearly crazed with fright in a third story room. Women's clothes had to be borrowed before she could be taken out. She said her own were burned by Figel to prevent her escape. Figel was arrested and held without basil.

TO WORK FOR LIMITED LICENSE As Against Total Prohibition-Paster Wasson's Views.

New York, May 16 .- The Rev. Will-New York May 16.—The Rev. William A. Wasson has resigned from his Episcopal pastorate at Riverhead. L. I., to work for limited license as against total prohibition of the sale of intoxicating liquors. In a letter to the Rt. Rev. Frederick Burgess, bishop of Long Island, made public today, Mr. Wasson says that he wishes to give his whole time to "fighting temperance faisely so-called and advocating the true temperance, which means

the true temperance, which means moderation and self-control."

Dr. Wasson has been pastor of Grace church at Riverhead for eight years. For years he has been prominently identified with anti-prohibition

HARLEM EXPRESS WRECKED Traffic Blocked for Several Hours a Pittsfield Junotien.

Pittsfield, Mass., May 16.—Traffic on the Easten and Afbany railroad was blocked for several hours at Pittsfield Junction tenight by the wrate of the Harlem express bound from New York to North Adams. Although the locoto North Adams. Although the icco-motive left the tracks and turned ever on one of its sides, meanwhile lung-ing diagonally across the roadined so as to block every track, only be en-gineer, Peter O'Donnell, of North Ad-ams, was injured, and he but slightly. The twenty-five passengers were shak-en up but not injured to any extent.

W. Melville. Philadelphia, May 16.—Mrs. Estella
Polis Melville, wife of Rear Admiral
George W. Melville, U. S. N., retired,
died at her home here today after a
brief illness. The wedding of Admiral
Melville to the then Miss Polis of Philadelphia at the "Little Church
Around the Corner" in New York was
an interesting event to the friends of
the widely known naval, officer and
Arctic explorer. The wedding took
pince about three years ago.

Woman Impaled on Broken Back of

Chair.

Ogdensburgh. N. Y. May 16.—Mrs. Joseph White of Buckton, near here, fell backward from an improvised scaffolding while papering the ceiling of her home today and impaled herself on the broken back of a chair. Farmhands, returning from the fields for dinner, found her struckling feelly with the upright streks of the chair piercing her body. She will die.

Negro Convict Stockade Burned

FIRE SET BY PRISONER IN EF-FORT TO ESCAPE.

TWENTY-SIX MEN PERISHED

The Convicts Were Leased by State

of Alabama to Work in Red Feather Coal Company Mines.

Centerville, Ala, May 16.—Thirty-six negro convicts lost their lives early today when the stockade of the Red Feather Coal company at Lucile mines, Bibb county, about fifteen miles north of Centerville, was destroyed by a fire set by one of the prisoners in an ef-fort to gain his freedom.

35 Convicts Burned to Death.

Thirty-five of the convicts were burned to death and another was fatally shot by guards while trying to escape. Among those burned is the negro who started the blaze.

The fire spread rapidly throughout the structure, which, on account of the extreme dryness of the material, was quickly consumed.

It was with much difficulty that the

It was with much difficulty that the unharmed convicts in the stockade were prevented from cluding the Convicts All State Prisoners

All the convicts at Lucile mines are state prisoners, leased by the Red Feather Coal company for work in the mines Three White Convicte Missing.

Montgomery, Ala, May 16.—Official information reaching Montgomery says that twenty-six men were burned to death in the stockade at Lucie and that twenty-one were seriously burned several having died since. There were but three white convicts at the camp, and the authorities do not knew whether they met death.

A number of the convicts are reported to have been slowly reasted to death.

death. Several guards suffered injuries while rescuing some of the mea. The camp is reported quiet tonight.

MISSOURI MILITIA PATROL THE STREETS OF ILASCO

Striking Foreign Workmen Threaten Lives of American Laborers.

Hannibal, Mo., May 16.—Five companies of militia arrived tenight under orders from Governor Hadley to patrol Ilasco, four miles south of Hannibal, where 1,500 foregin workmen are threatening to damage the plant of the Atlas Portland Cement company and injure American laborers.

The men, dissatisfied with labor conditions struck at noon today and forced the company to shut down its plant, throwing six hundred other employes out of work. Several hundred American laborers who went to Ilasco from Hannibal were ordered to remain on the train and return home.

The strikers drove everybody off the streets of Ilasco, County officers, fearing serious riots might result, appealed to the governor for pretection. The present trouble is the outcome of a strike a year ago. Then the foreigners domanded higher wages. They made no demands this time, but simply quit work. It is quiet in Hasco to-

ply quit work. It is quiet in liesco to-DR. GUSTAVE A. GAYER

STARTS A FOUR WEEKS' FAST. He Weighs 235 Pounds—To Have Med ical Examination Every Day.

New Tork, May 16.—Dr. Gustave A. Gayer, a doctor of philosophy, ate his breakfast as usual today and thea announced that it would be his hest meal for three and possibly four weeks. He weighs 226 pounds.

Dr. Gayer is to be examined every day by physicians. If they tell him he is becoming dangerously weakened he will break his fast. Otherwise he expects to fulfill the time he has allotted himself, taking his usual amount of exercise and doing his usual amount of exercise and doing his usual work.

"I have tried fasting before," said the doctor today, "Fasting periodically makes your mind as well as your body cleaner, especially the sub-conscious mind."

Dr. Gayer is president of the Society for Applied Psychics.
"I expect to accomplish much by auto-suggestion," he said. "The sub-conscious mind is all powerful over the functions of the body."

SUICIDE OF MRS. HARTENSTEIN. Wife of Superintendent of the Long . Island Railroad.

New York, May 18.—Mrs. Grace Hartsenstein, wife of Frederick Hartsenstein, superintendent of the Long Island ralivoad, committed suicide in her apartments here touight by drinking carbolic acid. She had been living apart from her husband for some time. Hartsenstein said he could find no reason for her suicide. Mrs. Hartenstein's family lives in Ontario, Canada. Hartfamily lives in Ontario, Canada. Hart-enstein said with positiveness that do-mentic trouble was not responsible for the suicide. He admitted that he had not been living with his wife of late, but said their relations were pleasant.

Yale Student Body Celebrates Amega Lambda Chi.

New Haven, Conn., May 16.—Dressed in fantastic costumes, led by a hand and followed by floats. The student body of Yale university tonight celebrated Amega Lambda Chi by parading through the streets of the city, finelly to assemble on the college campus. On the campus three-legged relay races, wheelbarrow races and tugs of war were held, all of which were well attended by townspeople.

Jail Preferred to Paying Taxes. Jail Preferred to Paying Taxes.
Grafton, Ill., May 16.—J. J. Keon, a socialist in jail here, who has refused to pay a poil tax, was informed yesterday that he will have to serve sigmonths each for the three years he is delinquent. Keon has served six wasks of his first sentence and servinced more than \$100 in salary, raffee than pay a tax which he calls unjust. The city already has expended more for meals than the tax amounted to, but Mayor Journey insists on enforcing the law of the state.

Nine Care Blown from Track. Denver, Col., May 16.—Struck by a terrific gust of wind as the train emerged from a cut two and a half miles cast of Cheyenne Wels. Col., last night, nine came of a Union Pacific freight train were blown from the track. Four of the cars were heavily londed, the other five remaining light.

Bishop Nilan Visits New Haven New Haven, May 16.—Bishop Minn made his five official visit to this city today when he genfirmed 458 children in St. Anthony's shured.